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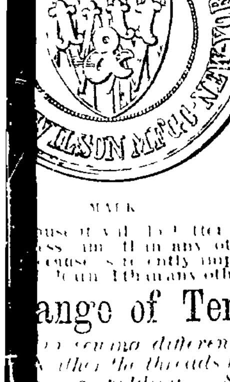
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—AND—
CONVEYANCERS!

April 1, 1872—d tf.

MACON COUNTY
TITLE
Abstract Office

THE BOOKS OF THIS OFFICE constitute the Deed and Court Records of the county in brief, transcribed and arranged upon our

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WARREN & DURFEE.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Reliable Fire Insurance
NEW YORK
UNDERWRITERS'
AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,
$3,666,242 85.

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CHICAGO, December 6, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York

GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through here successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,
Yours very respectfully,

Field, Leiter & Co.	Jno V Farwell & Co.
S C Griggs & Co.	Hayden & Kay.
W J Quan & Co.	Farrington, Brewster & Co.
Richards, Crumbaugh & Co.	Wight, Dunton & Co.
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Bowen, Hunt & Winslow.	Hall, Kimbark & Co
Henry W King & Co,	D B Fisk & Co.
Chas Gossage & Co.	Chas. P Kellogg & Co
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WARREN & DURFEE,
AGENTS, DECATUR, ILL.
April 1, 1872-d-tf

CONTINENTAL
INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

Cash Capital,

One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,

$2,509,526.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire Paid

$1,485,888.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Insurance Company
OF
NORTH AMERICA,

PHILADELPHIA

ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST INSURANCE CO IN AMERICA

Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,

$3,212,176.

The OLD NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 14th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 78 years.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,

$580.000 00.

And continues to offer its services to those feeling RELIABLE INDEMNITY against loss by fire.

For Policy in the above Sterling Old Company apply to
WARREN & DURFEE Agents
April 1, 1872-d tf.

FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10 block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund st; size, 70x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 95x110 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 1 fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st, between Monroe and Pine sts, lot 8, 63 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650, can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 9 and 10, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st, just west of the Mound; size, 55x193 feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts, comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets, 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE

LOTS 1 and 2, block 9, Smith & Co's addition on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway, size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Oarver's addition, comprising 80x150 feet, situated on North Macon st, east of Clayton st, a new frame house of 2 rooms, lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft, fronting on William st; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st, lot 3, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet, 1 story house with basement, 4 rooms, well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern, variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.
April 20, 1872 d-tf.

THE
Railway Passengers' Assurance Co.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Issues tickets of Insurance against

ACCIDENT.

Cash Capital, $300,000,

J. G. BATTERSON, President,
C. D. PALMER, Secretary.

RATES

Of Registered Accident Tickets, Insuring $3000 in the event of Death, or $15,00 Weekly Idemnity for Total Disability

One Day	cents	Five Days,	$1,25
Two Days,	40 cents	Ten Days,	2,50
		Thirty Days,	$7 00

Women Insured Against Death Only.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf

THE
HARTFORD
FIRE
Insurance Comp'y,

HARTFORD, CONN.,

CHARTERED, - - 1810

CASH CAPITAL,

One Million Dollars.

Assets January 1, 1872,

$2,912,071.18.

Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

WARREN & DURFEE
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf

SPRINGFIELD
FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE CO.

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS

—0— —

CASH CAPITAL, $5,000.00

Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,

$1,065,606.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

Will take upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.
April 1, 1872—d tf.

"DON'T STAY LONG."

It is rarely, indeed, that we have read anything more truthfully pathetic than the subjoined waif, which we find floating among our exchanges.

"Don't stay long, husband," said a young wife tenderly, in my presence one evening as her husband was preparing to go out. The words themselves were insignificant, but the look of melting fondness with which they were accompanied spoke volumes. It told all the whole vast depts of a woman's love—of her grief when the light of his smile, the source of all her joy, beamed not brightly upon her.

"Don't stay long, husband," and I fancied I saw the loving, gentle wife, sitting alone, anxiously counting the moments of her husband's absence—every few moments running to the door to see if he was in sight; and finding that he was not, I tho't I could hear her exclaiming in disappointed tones "not yet."

"Don't stay long, husband," and I again thought I could see the young wife rocking nervously in the great arm chair, and weeping as though her heart would break as her thoughtless "lord and master" prolonged his stay to a wearisome length of time.

O, you that have wives to say "Don't stay long," when you go forth, think of them kindly when you are mingling in the busy hive of life, and try, just a little, to make the homes and hearts happy, for they are gems seldom to be replaced. You cannot find amid the pleasures of the world, the peace and joy that a quiet home, blessed with such a woman's presence, will afford.

"Don't stay long, husband!" and the young wife's looks seemed to say, for here, in our own sweet home, is a loving heart, whose music is hushed when you are absent, here is a soft breast for you to lay your head upon and here are pure lips unsoiled by sin, that will pay you with kisses for coming back so soon.

MARY'S LITTLE LAMB.

Which I wish to recite and my language is plain—that for fleece that is white, and for schooling in vain, the Mary lamb is peculiar, which the same I would rise to explain. Ba-Ba was his name, and I hope I may die if I know what the same may express or imply, but his voice it was plaintive and babe-like, as I frequently remarked to Mari It was April the third, and quite nice was mint sauce, which might be inferred was on Ba-Ba of course; but he played it that day on the master and school in a way I would scorn to indorse Which we had a day-school, and Ba-Ba chose to go; it was reading the fool not the first word did know; but he frisked as he went to his class, with a frisk neither pensive or slow. For the master grew mad in a way that I grieve, and my feelings were sad at his off and Nye sleeve, which were stuffed full of ratans and rulers, and the same with intent to bereave. But the jumps that were made by the frisky white pet, and the pranks that he played took the children—you bet, till at last he knocked down a big bottle, and the same spilt the ink that was jet. Then eyes looked at lamb, and the school screamed "ha-ha!" and the master said "d—n! do you know where you are? We cannot do write for this lambkin"—and he went for that frisky Ba-Ba. In the scene that ensued I was absent, I think, but the floor was strewed like nutmeg in drink, with the fleece that rattan had been hiding on the lamb that ran foul of the ink Every leg of the beast was a gamboling tool, so a black-leg, at least, was the fleecy-legged fool; and we found on his tail, which was taper, what is pulled over eyes—that is wool. Which is why I recite, and my language is plain—that for fleece that is white, and for schooling in vain, the Mary lambkin is peculiar, which the same I am free to maintain.

GENERALITIES.

"You Haven't Put Any On My Papa's Grave," is the title of some decoration poetry.

An American singing girl in Italy named Jane Armstrong appears on the bills at Milan as "Giovannina Avigilina."

A Vermont contemporary suggestively remarks "Anonymous communications are worth four cents a pound at this office."

A Kentuckian being asked how much corn he raised answered "About ten barrels of whiskey, besides what we waste making bread"

Mark Twain is reported as saying that "one of General Sherman's smiles cracked a saucer on the table; he smiled again and smash went a plate."

A bill will soon be presented to the German parliament directed against the Jesuits It is understood that it will deprive the members of that order of citizenship

The Cleveland *Leader* thinks it has enough poetry on hand to last till next fall, but if the spring is not forward and the fires have to be kept up, it will need more

The beggars in Buenos Ayres ride on horseback, and when they do not wish food, as coolly beg that you will, for the sake of the Virgin, bestow some money for them to buy cigars.

Blue Jean is the style for the farmers in the spring time; but Jennie is the fashion for June.

The angelic little boy who went to bed with the chickens, barely escaped being sent to penitentiary as a hen thief.

Three thousand dollars worth of flowers decorated the grave of Colonel Fisk at Brattleboro on Thursday last. *Duke et*—but no.

The boys in New Orleans, now in the height of their kite flying season, are said to be more of an affliction than the mosquitoes. In upper tenboydom, there are two clubs, the "Trundle-Bed Tigers', and the "Pap Invincibles."

Jas. Forester & Co.
EXCLUSIVE WHOLESALE
DEALERS IN
DRY GOODS!
Woolens, Notions, Etc.

Close Cash Buyers
WILL
SAVE MONEY

By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.

Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. m14-dly.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 8 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4,00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:10 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:
Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:10 A. M. .... 5:05 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
5 10 A. M. .... 5:00 P. M.
Freight Trains.
GOING NORTH.
10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
7.25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 2, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave Toledo .... 11 40 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 30 p. m
Arrive Quincy .... 9 25 p. m
" Keokuk .... 10 15 p. m
" St. Louis .... 7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.
Leave Toledo .... 10 45 a. m
" Decatur .... 2 05 a. m
Arrive Quincy .... 8 50 a. m
" Keokuk .... 10 20 a. m
" St. Louis .... 7 11 a. m

FREIGHT.
No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:45 a. m.
" 13— " " .... 2:00 p. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave St. Louis .... 7 40 a. m
" Keokuk .... 4 35 a. m
" Quincy .... 5 15 a. m
" Decatur .... 12 25 p. m
Arrive Toledo .... 2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.
Leave St. Louis .... 8 30 p. m
" Keokuk .... 6 27 p. m
" Quincy .... 7 10 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 20 a. m
Arrive Toledo .... 5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.
No. 6—Leaves Decatur .... 8:30 a. m.
" 14— " " .... 8:30 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mall, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mall, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

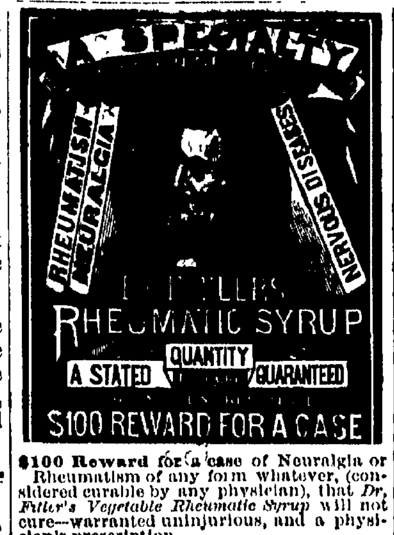
Glass Bowls, Goblets, Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at
J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL SOUTHERN R. R. Co.,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
CLEVELAND, O., May 29, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Companies, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.
S. A. FULLER, Secretary,
June 5, 1872—d-td

Terra Cotta Flower Pots, Hanging Baskets, House Vases, Yard Vases, Fountains, & Wrei Hanging Baskets, at
J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.



$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 39 years.

$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

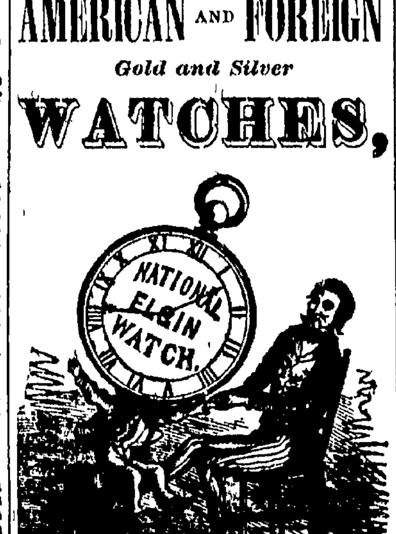
$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN
SOLE AGENTS,
Decatur, Ill.
Decatur, April 20, 1872--daw-1y.

Bird Cages for Mocking Birds, Robins and Canaries, in large variety, and Bird Cage Hooks at
J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

A New Arrival!
—OF—
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN
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Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen, Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

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As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold, Silver and Plated Chains.
A Complete Assortment of

JEWELRY!

Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

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With and without Calender,
AGENT FOR THE
Accommodating Spectacle!

With French Acromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.
All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,
No. 10 Water Street,
DECATUR, ILL.
May 21, 1872—d-3m

Pictures Neatly Framed in Any Style to Suit, on Short Notice, at
W. E. WILSON'S.
Apr 21-d wtf.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } vs. } Attachment.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D, 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.
E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d4w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and Daniel H. Hellman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "I," in the town of Oakley: also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning—all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
m27-d20d} Sheriff Macon County.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D, 1872

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co.,
vs.
Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d1w.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW.
OFFICE,—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store. No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf

DR. A. S. WALTZ,
SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Operations performed at the lowest rates. Call and see him Get his prices before going elsewhere.
December 2, 1871—1y

JOHN W. SMITH. ERIC L. STERRETT.
SMITH STERRETT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 11, 1870-ly

C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public Office over Smiths, Hammer & Co.'s Bank, south-west corner New Square, Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dwtf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

ICE CREAM,
SODA WATER, and
ICE COLD LEMONADE,
Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at
Miller's Confectionery.
April 26—d-tf

Appleton's New American Cyclopedia, 16 Vols.; Chambers' Encyclopedia, 10 Vols.; McClintock and Strong Cyclopedia, 4 Vols.; Scott's, Lang's, Clark's Nast's and Barnes' Commentaries, and many other Standard Works,
AT W. E. WILSON'S.
May 21-d&wtf.

A. BROWER BENN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
No. 10 Water Street

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D. 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts and .... Admr of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w-4t

W. C. JOHNS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hebenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Fedinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things in said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.
W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Dewees, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.
J. R. GORIN,
May 9-6w} Administrator.

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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

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April 1, 1872 d-tf.

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GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through here successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10 block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Lincoln st.; size, 70x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts.; size, 95x110 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 1 fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts., lot 8, 65 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650, can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 9 and 10, block 1 Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 5x1?8 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $200 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets. 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar and a good sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 1 and 2 block 9 Smith & Co.'s addition on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway, size 80x142 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000 WARREN & DURFEE.

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FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burrows addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair; lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 1?? feet, 1 story house with basement, ? rooms, well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOT 1, block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

April 20, 1872 d-tf.

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Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,

$1,065,606.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

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April 1, 1872—d tf.

"DON'T STAY LONG."

It is rarely, indeed, that we have read anything more truthfully pathetic than the subjoined waif, which we find floating among our exchanges.

"Don't stay long, husband," said a young wife tenderly, in my presence one evening as her husband was preparing to go out. The words themselves were insignificant, but the look of melting fondness with which they were accompanied spoke volumes. It told all the whole vast depts of a woman's love—of her grief when the light of his smile, the source of all her joy, beamed not brightly upon her

"Don't stay long, husband," and I fancied I saw the loving, gentle wife, sitting alone, anxiously counting the moments of her husband's absence—every few moments running to the door to see if he was in sight; and finding that he was not, I tho't I could hear her exclaiming in disappointed tones "not yet"

"Don't stay long, husband," and I again thought I could see the young wife rocking nervously in the great arm chair, and weeping as though her heart would break as her thoughtless "lord and master" prolonged his stay to a wearisome length of time.

O, you that have wives to say "Don't stay long," when you go forth, think of them kindly when you are mingling in the busy hive of life, and try, just a little, to make the homes and hearts happy, for they are gems seldom to be replaced. You cannot find amid the pleasures of the world, the peace and joy that a quiet home, blessed with such a woman's presence, will afford.

"Don't stay long, husband!" and the young wife's looks seemed to say, for here, in our own sweet home, is a loving heart, whose music is hushed when you are absent, here is a soft breast for you to lay your head upon and here are pure lips unsoiled by sin, that will pay you with kisses for coming back so soon.

MARY'S LITTLE LAMB.

Which I wish to recite and my language is plain—that for fleece that is white, and for schooling in vain, the Mary lamb is peculiar, which the same I would rise to explain. Ba-Ba was his name, and I hope I may die if I know what the same may express or imply, but his voice it was plaintive and babe-like, as I frequently remarked to Mari It was April the third, and quite nice was mint sauce, which might be inferred was on Ba-Ba of course; but he played it that day on the master and school in a way I would scorn to indorse Which we had a day-school, and Ba-Ba chose to go;" it was reading the fool not the first word did know; but he frisked as he went to his class, with a frisk neither pensive or slow. For the master grew mad in a way that I grieve, and my feelings were sad at his off and Nye sleeve, which were stuffed full of ratans and rulers, and the same with intent to bereave. But the jumps that were made by the frisky white pet, and the pranks that he played took the children—you bet, till at last he knocked down a big bottle, and the same spilt the ink that was jet. Then eyes looked at lamb, and the school screamed "ha-ha!" and the master said "d—n! do you know where you are? We cannot do write for this lambkin"—and he went for that frisky Ba-Ba, In the scene that ensued I was absent, I think, but the floor was strewed like nutmeg in drink, with the fleece that rattan had been hiding off the lamb that ran foul of the ink Every leg of the beast was a gamboling tool, so a black-leg, at least, was the fleecy-legged fool; and we found on his tail, which was taper, what is pulled over eyes—that is wool. Which is why I recite, and my language is plain—that for fleece that is white, and for schooling in vain, the Mary lambkin is peculiar, which the same I am free to maintain.

GENERALITIES.

"You Haven't Put Any On My Papa's Grave," is the title of some decoration poetry.

An American singing girl in Italy named Jane Armstrong appears on the bills at Milan as "Giovannina Avigilina."

A Vermont contemporary suggestively remarks "Anonymous communications are worth four cents a pound at this office."

A Kentuckian being asked how much corn he raised answered "About ten barrels of whiskey, besides what we waste making bread"

Mark Twain is reported as saying that "one of General Sherman's smiles cracked a saucer on the table; he smiled again and smash went a plate."

A bill will soon be presented to the German parliament directed against the Jesuits It is understood that it will deprive the members of that order of citizenship

The Cleveland *Leader* thinks it has enough poetry on hand to last till next fall, but if the spring is not forward and the fires have to be kept up, it will need more

The beggars in Buenos Ayres ride on horseback, and when they do not wish food, as coolly beg that you will, for the sake of the Virgin, bestow some money for them to buy cigars.

Blue Jean is the style for the farmers in the spring time; but Jennie is the fashion for June.

The angelic little boy who went to bed with the chickens, barely escaped being sent to penitentiary as a hen thief.

Three thousand dollars worth of flowers decorated the grave of Colonel Fisk at Brattleboro on Thursday last. *Dukeet*—but no.

The boys in New Orleans, now in the height of their kite flying season, are said to be more of an affliction than the mosquitoes. In upper tenboydom, there are two clubs, the "Trundle-Bed Tigers", and the "Pap Invincibles."

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"	"	closes at 4.00 P. M.
Eastern	"	arrives at 2:35 P. M.
"	"	closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western	"	arrives at 11:10 P. M.
"	"	closes at 1:35 P. M.

Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
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I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

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Passenger Trains.

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GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.

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7.25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 2, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 15 a. m
"	Decatur	2 05 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 50 a. m
"	Keokuk	10 20 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 11 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:45 a. m.
" 11— " " .... 2:00 p. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 40 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 25 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo.	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 6—Leaves Decatur .... 8:30 a. m.
" 11— " " .... 8:30 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m

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" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

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Railroad Election.

CHICAGO AND ILL SOUTHERN R. R. Co., }
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, }
CLEVELAND, O., May 20, 1871. }

THE ANNUAL MEETING for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railway Company, as provided in the Articles of Consolidation between the Decatur, Sullivan and Mattoon and the Chicago and Illinois Southern Railroad Companies, will be held at the office of the company in the city of Mattoon, Illinois, on Tuesday, July 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

S. A. FULLER, Secretary,

June 5, 1872—d-td

Terra Cotta Flower Pots, Hanging Baskets, House Vases, Yard Vases, Fountains, & Wrei Hanging Baskets, at

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$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

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May 21, 1872—d-lm

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Apr 21-d wtf.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL }
vs. } Attachment.
AMOS T. HICKMAN, }

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T. Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against his estate, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county; and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.

CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
May 21, 1872—d4w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and Daniel H. Hollman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "P," in the town of Oakley; also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning—all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872

Daniel H. Elwood, Reuben Wilkinson, and David P. Elwood, partners as Elwood & Co., vs.

Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, John W. Hamilton, James B. Fiske, Augustus Knight, and Lewis F. Houck.

Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July next, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said James B. Fiske and Augustus Knight, shall personally be and appear before the said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of the said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

CREA & EWING for Compl'ts.
Decatur, May 22, 1872—d4w.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

OFFICE.—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-d1y

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

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SMITH STERRETT,

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Aug. 11, 1870-1y

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public Office over Smiths, Hammer & Co.'s Bank, south-west corner New Square, Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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May 21-d&wtf.

A. BROWER BENN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
No. 10 Water Street

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D. 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts and ... Administrator of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872.

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w-4t

W. C. JOHNS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hebenstreit vs. Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Fedinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hebenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things in said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Cl'k of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.
Decatur, May 9, 1872—w4t.

Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Dewees, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

J. R. GORIN,
Administrator.

May 11-6w]

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, June 11.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS,

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

Presidential Electors:

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3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN R. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermilion	8
Douglas	4		
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee,
J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.
W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

A BIT OF HISTORY.

Those of our readers who have paid any attention to political matters will remember the solicitude felt by the Republicans of Macon county last winter, lest in the apportionment of the state by the legislature this county should be placed in a Democratic district. Next to their opposition to being thus placed they most dreaded being put into a district with McLean county, and many were the appeals made to our representative and senators to save us from either fate. We fortunately escaped both, for which we have nobody to thank so much as Hon. W. T. Moffett, our excellent representative in the lower House. In this connection we desire to remind our readers that for the success of Mr. Moffett's labors we are in no way indebted to Col. J. W. Langley, the senator from Champaign, who endeavored to so shape the districts in this portion of the State as to put Macon county anywhere else than where we now are. Either in a Democratic district, or—what would have been but little better—with McLean county, where we would have been nothing more than the insignificant tail to a big kite, was where Col. Langley most desired to see Macon county placed.

That gentleman is now a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress, in the district which was formed against his will. He has instructions from three counties in his favor, and he lacks but one vote to secure the nomination. Owing to the situation in the other counties that one vote must come from Macon county, or it will not come at all.

Now, we simply desire to ask our delegates, in the event that the contest narrows down between Langley and one other candidate, whether that gentleman has any claims upon Macon county for that one vote—whether he deserves anything at our hands. As far as he was concerned, we might have been in a district without influence, or without hope of success. Shall Macon county now reward him by giving him the nomination?

REFRESHING.

The Chicago *Tribune* has a correspondent who sails under the *nom de plume* of "Gath." He is known among newspaper men as "the champion liar of America," and we have never heard of any one who disputed his legitimate claim to that title. Did we not know that "Gath" was certainly in Philadelphia last week, sending from the convention to the *Tribune* dispatches of so filthy and indecent a character as to call for an ample apology from the editor—did we not know this to be the fact we should be constrained to believe that he had been in Decatur at the same time, and that he penned the following, which appeared in yesterday's *Tribune*, and which we reproduce for the information of our people, but very few of whom have been reading that paper for the past month or two:

DECATUR, Ill., June 7.

To the Editor of the Chicago Tribune:

SIR: The news of Ulysses' nomination was received here without any enthusiasm upon the part of the Republicans, save the office-holders.

When I tell you that Macon county is two-thirds Greeley, I hope you will not doubt my assertion. Any quantity of Republicans who have heretofore acted with the Grantites have become perfectly disgusted, and will not again vote for the office-holders' candidate. A great many of the Republicans here, who have formed a Greeley Club, and are doing all they can for his success in November, are men of high standing and respectability. There are but few Democrats in this county who will not support Greeley. In fact, I believe that all will, should the Baltimore Convention endorse the Cincinnati nominations, or make no nomination at all. Greeley stock here, as all over the country, continues advancing.

The Democrats are abandoning that treacherous paper, the Chicago *Times*.

Rest assurred that Old Macon County will do her duty, and, in November, give Greeley and Brown a rousing majority.

Yours, MACON.

There are two or three statements in the above which are so entirely destitute of truth as to call for a denial upon our part. The nomination of Grant *was* received here with the most marked satisfaction, and the impromptu ratification meeting held on the evening of the 6th was more enthusiastic than any similar demonstration since 1860. This is a fact generally acknowledged, and accounts for the sourness of the Greeley men ever since. There is only one Federal office holder in Decatur, and upon the occasion in question he was at home, sick. So much for the concentrated falsehoods embodied in the first paragraph of the letter.

That the majority of the gentlemen who are doing what they can for the success of the Greeley movement in Decatur are "men of high standing and respectability," is certainly true, and we have no desire to question either their honesty of purpose or their integrity as citizens, but that one of them should so far forget the truth as to claim that "Macon county is two-thirds Greeley," that "Greeley stock here continues advancing," that "any quantity of Republicans have become perfectly disgusted," and that "Macon county will give Greeley and Brown a rousing majority"—that one of these gentleman of "high standing and respectability" should wilfully utter so many misstatements in a brief letter, certainly does not argue much for the honesty of the means which are deemed necessary for the bolstering up of a waning cause.

The disaffection of a few hitherto steadfast Republicans in this city has been anything but a source of satisfaction to us, but we have studiously refrained from indulging in any abusive reflections upon their action, recognizing the fact that they have a perfect right to favor the election of whatever man best suits their views. While we have persistently followed this course, and do not propose to vary from it, we cannot allow mis-statements like those contained in the letter above quoted to pass without notice. The truth is that the "Liberal" movement, while it has shown some strength here, reached its culminating point two or three weeks ago, and has ever since been on the decline. Macon county will *not* give "a rousing majority for Greeley and Brown" in November, as the *Tribune* correspondent will find when the votes are counted.

NOT LOVELY.—The report having been industriously circulated that the Democracy of Macon county were unanimous in their support of Greeley, one of the unterrified relieves his mind as follows in the Chicago *Times* of yesterday:

BLUE MOUND, Macon Co., Ill., June 7.—As a reader of the Chicago *Times*, and an indorser fully of the position taken by the *Times* in regard to the political outlook, I wish to state the fact (which in your paper has appeared often through correspondents from other localities) that the nomination of Horace Greeley *does not* meet the approbation of the Democrats of this section of country, which was once a part of the United States, and that the sentiment expressed at the "Democratic" hurdy gurdy, at Decatur, last month *was not* the sentiment of the *rotting* Democrats of this part of the country. We have been treated to the "gilt edged" platforms, long enough, with men like the present incumbent, and H. G., as the exponents thereof, and we beg the privilege, at this coming Presidential election, of voting for a man whose public course heretofore is a guarantee that he will carry out the principles on which we base our suffrages. For such a candidate we are waiting patiently the result of the Baltimore convention.

J. K. NILES.

TELEGRAPHIC.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

THE TREATY BUSINESS.

SCHENCK INSTRUCTED TO ABANDON FURTHER ARBITRATION.

The New York Press on the Political Situation.

GEN. GRANT'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE NOMINATION.

AN ABLE AND PATRIOTIC LETTER.

MARKETS. ETC.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The following is a copy of the official letter notifying President Grant of his nomination, which was handed him by the President of the Philadelphia Convention:

WASHINGTON, June 10, 1872.

U. S. Grant, President United States:

SIR—In pursuance to our instructions, we, the undersigned President and Vice Presidents of the National Republican Convention, held in Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th inst., have the honor to inform you of your nomination for re-election to the office of President of the United States. As it is impossible to give you an adequate idea of the enthusiasm which prevailed or the unanimity which hailed you as the choice of the people, we can only add that you received the entire vote of every State and Territory. Regarding your re-election as necessary to the peace and continued prosperity of the country, we ask your acceptance of the nomination.

The letter is signed by Thomas Settle, President, and all the Vice Presidents of the Convention.

The following is the President's reply, accepting the nomination:

Executive Mansion, Washington, June 10. Hon. Thomas Settle, President of the National Republican [Convention, Paul Strabach, Elisha Baxter and other Vice Presidents.

Gentlemen: Your letter of this date, advising me of the action of the convention held at Philadelphia on the 5th and 6th of this month, of my unanimous nomination for the Presidency by it, is received. I accept the nomination, and through you, return my heartfelt thanks to your constituents for this mark of your confidence and support, and, if elected in November, and protected by a kind Providence in health and strength to perform the duties of the high trust conferred upon me, I promise the same zeal and devotion to the good of the whole people for the future of my official life as I have shown in my past experience. Experience may guide me in avoiding the mistakes inevitable with novices in all professions and in all occupations. When relieved from the responsilities of my present trust by the election of a successor, whether it be at the end of this term or not, I hope to leave to him a country at peace within its borders, at peace with outside nations, with a credit at home and abroad, and without embarrassing questions to threaten its future prosperity. With this expression of a desire to see a speedy healing of all the bitterness of feeling between a section of the party or races of citizens, and the time come when the title of citizen carries with it the protection and privileges to the humblest that it does to the most exalted, I subscribe myself very respectfully, your obedient servant,

U. S. GRANT.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The Japanese embassy arrived here yesterday from Washington. They intend making an extended tour through New England, and will be present at the Boston Jubilee.

The gas-fitters met last night to organize a strike in favor of the eight hour movement.

The *Times'* special from Washington says: "The President yesterday stood ready to convene Congress within a half hour after the session, if the appropriation bill had failed. He first prepared a proclamation for 12:30, and when the time was extended he changed it to 6:30, so that members would scarcely have been out of their seats before they would have been back again under the Presidential mandate."

The President leaves Washington tomorrow for Long Branch, with his family.

The *Herald's* special from London says Earl Granville, seconded by the Italian government, has proposed a convention of referees of the great powers, to project a new course of policy to be adopted by the cabinet towards the east, in view of the constant recurrence of barbarous outbursts of popular violence against the Jews in Roumania. Prince Gortschskoff, of Russia, has replied to the proposal that the Emperor sympathizes with the persecuted Jews, but apprehends that the course proposed will seem only to excite the agitation of the Eastern question, and His Majesty declines to enter into such conference. The Russian emperor proposes that the powers address a joint note to Prince Charles of Roumania, demanding an explanation of his intentions and what definite guarantees he can offer for the protection of the Jews in future.

The *Herald's* Washington special says: Fish was yesterday instructed to notify Gen. Schenck to abandon further arbitration concerning the treaty. Bancroft Davis was also notified that the United States would not concur in the proposition of the British government for an adjournment of the conference, and that in case the British agent filed a declaration asking a postponement of the arbitration the American agent should protest against it.

The *Tribune's* special from Washington says the House military committee to-day made a report on the loss of the Buell Court records, and submitted testimony to the House for printing. The committee can find no trace of where the papers are or may be. In their report it is stated that nothing was disclosed in the inquiry tending to making an injurious impression regarding Gen. Grant or Gen. Sherman.

The *Tribune* this morning commenting upon the final adjournment of Congress, says: The Junta controlling the conduct of affairs have directed the general business of Congress, solely with a view to influence the nomination and election of President Grant. No Congress, since the last violent days of the rule of the slave oligarchy, has been so disgraced by the violation of rule, precedent, and every principle of justice.

The *Times* regards the session just finished as satisfactory and notable in many respects, particularly as to the amounts of reduced taxation, &c.

The *Herald* reviews the political situation in a lengthy editorial this morning, and says on broad principle that the election of Grant is a foregone conclusion. It matters little what course the Democrats may pursue in regard to the Presidential campaign. So far as present prospects are concerned it thinks the nomination or endorsement of Horace Greeley at Baltimore promises the only hope of a future to Democracy.

The Liverpool steamship Tripoli, which recently went ashore on South Rock, off Tuscari, on the Irish coast, parted yesterday afternoon; A portion of the steamer sunk in deep water.

FROM NEW JERSEY.

NEWARK, June 11.—The eight hour agitation extends to this city. The coach builders, brick layers, masons, carpenters, clothing cutters, and other trades, are organizing for a strike in favor of eight hours.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.55; July 1.56; August 1.46. Corn, cash 453; July 46½ bid, August 487.
Pork, steady, July 12.40.
Lard, nothing doing.
Oats, 41. Nothing doing.
Rye, quiet, at 74.
Barley, 55.
Highwines, firm, at 86.
Hogs, receipts, 11,120; market fair, active, Extreme range at 3,75@4,10.
Cattle, quiet, 5.00@6.50.
Sheep, 7.00@8.25.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Flour, inactive, weak for low and medium grades, 6,75@7,20.
Wheat, strong, No. 2 Chicago 1.73 afloat.
Corn, easier, more plenty, 68@69.
Oats, strong, 53 bid afloat.
Rye, nominal at 94.
Whiskey, inactive 90.
Pork, jobbing $13.40.
Lard, quiet at 9¼@9¼.
Gold. 144c.

[Communicated.]

CLOSING EXHIBITION OF THE FIRST WARD SCHOOL.

At two o'clock Friday afternoon the children of the first ward school were neatly attired, ready to participate in the closing exercises. A large number of visitors were present, who were interested in the school. All of the schools met in Mr. Bigelow's room, each teacher taking charge of scholars under their supervision.

The following teachers have been employed in this ward during the past term: 5th, 6th and 7th grade, Mr. David Bigelow 4th grade, Mrs. Alice Slocum; 3d grade, Miss Alice Petzer; 1st and 2d grade, Miss Mary Bell,

The tables were beautified with elegant boquets, and on the wall was suspended a cross made of flowers, and in handsome letters the cheering word, "Welcome."

The opening exercises was a song, entitled "The Temperance Ship," by a class of boys and girls from Mr. Bigelow's room, with Annie Haskell at the organ, after which Julia McAvoy played a March, entitled, "St. Patrick's Day." A class from Mrs. Slocum's room sang "Welcome Day," with their teacher as chorister and organist.

We have not space to enumerate the various subjects and parts, all of which were excellent. "Old and New," a dialogue in which the present fashions are contrasted with those of the days of yore, was amusing and interesting, as much of real life was exhibited. The scholars gave exercise songs, in which they illustrated the sentiment of the song with signs, conducted by their teacher. Also, a drill in physical exercise was healthy and amusing.

Prof. McKim, County Superintendent, was present and gladly noted the prosperity of the schools and success of the teachers.

Mr. Bigelow has been employed in the schools in this city for the past ten years, and he is still vigorous and instructive.

Mrs. Slocum is also well known, and no better or more worthy testimonial is necessary than the general and marked improvement of her scholars and the good will and regard of the parents.

Miss Betzer is alive to the interests of the schools; always earnest, energetic and kind, failure is unknown to this excellent teacher.

Miss Bell has taken charge of the school more recently than the others, but has given entire satisfaction.

The scholars were cheerful and ready for a vacation, in which they will recreate and prepare themselves for another term.

The teachers of our public and common schools are doing a work for which money cannot fully remunerate them. Their responsibility is great, and the calling is of a very high order. We rejoice that they are not the thankless toilers of ages past, but are appreciated and sustained in the work they have performed so nobly and so well. In after years, not only the children of to-day, but generations yet to come will revere them, and in their devotion to the cause of education and refinement, will erect a living monument in honor of the fidelity, influence and success of the school teachers of our day. CITIZEN.

FROM MACON.

MACON, ILL., June 10, 1872.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Forty cents for corn has caused the biggest rush in Macon that has been known for years. Saturday was an unusually busy day. It seemed as if every farmer was hauling. There were 30 loads weighed at our friends Failing & Miller's Elevator up to eight o'clock. I should think their was the same amount delivered at Bruce & Bro's. As the day was warm and Mr. Miller is so very fleshy the farmers should not work him so hard in one day, and our friend George Bruce should not be taxed too heavy, as he has recently taken unto himself a wife. We think the farmers are imposing on good nature, on a warm day.

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MERCHANTS will continue to find bargains in our WHOLESALE ROOMS, which we expect to continue.

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THIS OLD AND WELL KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT has recently been refitted, and stocked with new and fresh goods, and the undersigned respectfully invites the old patrons of the house, and the public generally, to give him a call.

No Trouble to Show Goods.
A. RUTH.
April 10-d&wtf.

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MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 31.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [jn3-d-tf.]

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Administrator's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Christian county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, S. B. Chapman, Administrator of the estate of John Cochran, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the February Term, A. D., 1880, of said Court, for will, on the 15th day of February, 1880; I shall on Saturday, the 15th day of June next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, in front of the post office in Blue Mound, in Macon county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: the real estate described as follows, to-wit: The south half of lot No. 4, section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, containing five 28-100 acres, on the following terms, to-wit; on a credit of six months, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the said purchase money.
N. H. CHAPMAN.
Administrator estate of John Cochran dec'd.
Decatur, Ill., May 9, 1872—w-6w.

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HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.

For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.

For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.

For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.

Clerk of Supreme Court — Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.

Presidential Electors:

At Large—HENRY GREENBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
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11th District—MOSES M. HANE.
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13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
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15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermillion	8
Douglas	4		
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee,
J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.
W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

A BIT OF HISTORY.

Those of our readers who have paid any attention to political matters will remember the solicitude felt by the Republicans of Macon county last winter, lest in the apportionment of the state by the legislature this county should be placed in a Democratic district. Next to their opposition to being thus placed they most dreaded being put into a district with McLean county, and many were the appeals made to our representative and senators to save us from either fate. We fortunately escaped both, for which we have nobody to thank so much as Hon. W. T. Moffett, our excellent representative in the lower House. In this connection we desire to remind our readers that for the success of Mr. Moffett's labors we are in no way indebted to Col. J. W. Langley, the senator from Champaign, who endeavored to so shape the districts in this portion of the State as to put Macon county anywhere else than where we now are. Either in a Democratic district, or—what would have been but little better—with McLean county, where we would have been nothing more than the insignificant tail to a big kite, was where Col. Langley most desired to see Macon county placed.

That gentleman is now a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress, in the district which was formed against his will. He has instructions from three counties in his favor, and he lacks but one vote to secure the nomination. Owing to the situation in the other counties that one vote must come from Macon county, or it will not come at all.

Now, we simply desire to ask our delegates, in the event that the contest narrows down between Langley and one other candidate, whether that gentleman has any claims upon Macon county for that one vote—whether he deserves anything at our hands. As far as he was concerned, we might have been in a district without influence, or without hope of success. Shall Macon county now reward him by giving him the nomination?

REFRESHING.

The Chicago *Tribune* has a correspondent who sails under the *nom de plume* of "Gath." He is known among newspaper men as "the champion liar of America," and we have never heard of any one who disputed his legitimate claim to that title. Did we not know that "Gath" was certainly in Philadelphia last week, sending from the convention to the *Tribune* dispatches of so filthy and indecent a character as to call for an ample apology from the editor—did we not know this to be the fact we should be constrained to believe that he had been in Decatur at the same time, and that he penned the following, which appeared in yesterday's *Tribune*, and which we reproduce for the information of our people, but very few of whom have been reading that paper for the past month or two:

DECATUR, Ill., June 7.

To the Editor of the Chicago Tribune:

SIR: The news of Ulysses' nomination was received here without any enthusiasm upon the part of the Republicans, save the office-holders.

When I tell you that Macon county is two-thirds Greeley, I hope you will not doubt my assertion. Any quantity of Republicans who have heretofore acted with the Grantites have become perfectly disgusted, and will not again vote for the office-holders' candidate. A great many of the Republicans here, who have formed a Greeley Club, and are doing all they can for his success in November, are men of high standing and respectability. There are but few Democrats in this county who will not support Greeley. In fact, I believe that all will, should the Baltimore Convention endorse the Cincinnati nominations, or make no nomination at all. Greeley stock here, as all over the country, continues advancing.

The Democrats are abandoning that treacherous paper, the Chicago *Times*.

Rest assured that Old Macon County will do her duty, and, in November, give Greeley and Brown a rousing majority.

Yours, MACON.

There are two or three statements in the above which are so entirely destitute of truth as to call for a denial upon our part. The nomination of Grant *was* received here with the most marked satisfaction, and the impromptu ratification meeting held on the evening of the 6th was more enthusiastic than any similar demonstration since 1860. This is a fact generally acknowledged, and accounts for the sourness of the Greeley men ever since. There is only one Federal office holder in Decatur, and upon the occasion in question he was at home, sick. So much for the concentrated falsehoods embodied in the first paragraph of the letter.

That the majority of the gentlemen who are doing what they can for the success of the Greeley movement in Decatur are "men of high standing and respectability," is certainly true, and we have no desire to question either their honesty of purpose or their integrity as citizens, but that one of them should so far forget the truth as to claim that "Macon county is two-thirds Greeley," that "Greeley stock here continues advancing," that "any quantity of Republicans have become perfectly disgusted," and that "Macon county will give Greeley and Brown a rousing majority"—that one of these gentleman of "high standing and respectability" should wilfully utter so many misstatements in a brief letter, certainly does not argue much for the honesty of the means which are deemed necessary for the bolstering up of a waning cause.

The disaffection of a few hitherto steadfast Republicans in this city has been anything but a source of satisfaction to us, but we have studiously refrained from indulging in any abusive reflections upon their action, recognizing the fact that they have a perfect right to favor the election of whatever man best suits their views. While we have persistently followed this course, and do not propose to vary from it, we cannot allow mis-statements like those contained in the letter above quoted to pass without notice. The truth is that the "Liberal" movement, while it has shown some strength here, reached its culminating point two or three weeks ago, and has ever since been on the decline. Macon county will *not* give "a rousing majority for Greeley and Brown" in November, as the *Tribune* correspondent will find when the votes are counted.

NOT LOVELY.—The report having been industriously circulated that the Democracy of Macon county were unanimous in their support of Greeley, one of the unterrified relieves his mind as follows in the Chicago *Times* of yesterday:

BLUE MOUND, Macon Co., Ill., June 7.—As a reader of the Chicago *Times*, and an indorser fully of the position taken by the *Times* in regard to the political outlook, I wish to state the fact (which in your paper has appeared often through correspondents from other localities) that the nomination of Horace Greeley *does not* meet the approbation of the Democrats of this section of country, which was once a part of the United States, and that the sentiment expressed at the "Democratic" hardy gurdy, at Decatur, last month *was not* the sentiment of the *rolling* Democrats of this part of the country. We have been treated to the "gilt edged" platforms, long enough, with men like the present incumbent, and H. G., as the exponents thereof, and we beg the privilege, at this coming Presidential election, of voting for a man whose public course heretofore is a guarantee that he will carry out the principles on which we base our suffrages. For such a candidate we are waiting patiently the result of the Baltimore convention.

J. K. NILES.

TELEGRAPHIC.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

THE TREATY BUSINESS.

SCHENCK INSTRUCTED TO ABANDON FURTHER ARBITRATION.

The New York Press on the Political Situation.

GEN. GRANT'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE NOMINATION.

AN ABLE AND PATRIOTIC LETTER.

MARKETS. ETC.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The following is a copy of the official letter notifying President Grant of his nomination, which was handed him by the President of the Philadelphia Convention:

WASHINGTON, June 10, 1872.

U. S. Grant, President United States:

SIR—In pursuance to our instructions, we, the undersigned President and Vice Presidents of the National Republican Convention, held in Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th inst., have the honor to inform you of your nomination for re-election to the office of President of the United States. As it is impossible to give you an adequate idea of the enthusiasm which prevailed or the unanimity which hailed you as the choice of the people, we can only add that you received the entire vote of every State and Territory. Regarding your re-election as necessary to the peace and continued prosperity of the country, we ask your acceptance of the nomination.

The letter is signed by Thomas Settle, President, and all the Vice Presidents of the Convention.

The following is the President's reply, accepting the nomination:

Executive Mansion, Washington, June 10. Hon. Thomas Settle, President of the National Republican Convention, Paul Strabach, Elisha Baxter and other Vice Presidents.

Gentlemen: Your letter of this date, advising me of the action of the convention held at Philadelphia on the 5th and 6th of this month, of my unanimous nomination for the Presidency by it, is received. I accept the nomination, and through you, return my heartfelt thanks to your constituents for this mark of your confidence and support, and, if elected in November, and protected by a kind Providence in health and strength to perform the duties of the high trust conferred upon me, I promise the same zeal and devotion to the good of the whole people for the future of my official life as I have shown in my past experience. Experience may guide me in avoiding the mistakes inevitable with novices in all professions and in all occupations. When relieved from the responsibilities of my present trust by the election of a successor, whether it be at the end of this term or not, I hope to leave to him a country at peace within its borders, at peace with outside nations, with a credit at home and abroad, and without embarrassing questions to threaten its future prosperity. With this expression of a desire to see a speedy healing of all the bitterness of feeling between a section of the party or races of citizens, and the time come when the title of citizen carries with it the protection and privileges to the humblest that it does to the most exalted, I subscribe myself very respectfully, your obedient servant,

U. S. GRANT.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The Japanese embassy arrived here yesterday from Washington. They intend making an extended tour through New England, and will be present at the Boston Jubilee.

The gas-fitters met last night to organize a strike in favor of the eight hour movement.

The *Times'* special from Washington says: "The President yesterday stood ready to convene Congress within a half hour after the session, if the appropriation bill had failed. He first prepared a proclamation for 12:30, and when the time was extended he changed it to 6:30, so that members would scarcely have been out of their seats before they would have been back again under the Presidential mandate."

The President leaves Washington tomorrow for Long Branch, with his family.

The *Herald's* special from London says Earl Granville, seconded by the Italian government, has proposed a convention of referees of the great powers, to project a new course of policy to be adopted by the cabinet towards the east, in view of the constant recurrence of barbarous outbursts of popular violence against the Jews in Roumania. Prince Gortschskoff, of Russia, has replied to the proposal that the Emperor sympathizes with the persecuted Jews, but apprehends that the course proposed will seem only to excite the agitation of the Eastern question, and His Majesty declines to enter into such conference. The Russian emperor proposes that the powers address a joint note to Prince Charles of Roumania, demanding an explanation of his intentions and what definite guarantees he can offer for the protection of the Jews in future.

The *Herald's* Washington special says: Fish was yesterday instructed to notify Gen. Schenck to abandon further arbitration concerning the treaty. Bancroft Davis was also notified that the United States would not concur in the proposition of the British government for an adjournment of the conference, and that in case the British agent filed a declaration asking a postponement of the arbitration the American agent should protest against it.

The *Tribune's* special from Washington says the House military committee to-day made a report on the loss of the Buell Court records, and submitted testimony to the House for printing. The committee can find no trace of where the papers are or may be. In their report it is stated that nothing was disclosed in the inquiry tending to making an injurious impression regarding Gen. Grant or Gen. Sherman.

The *Tribune* this morning commenting upon the final adjournment of Congress, says: The Junta controlling the conduct of affairs have directed the general business of Congress, solely with a view to influence the nomination and election of President Grant. No Congress, since the last violent days of the rule of the slave oligarchy, has been so disgraced by the violation of rule, precedent, and every principle of justice.

The *Times* regards the session just finished as satisfactory and notable in many respects particularly as to the amounts of reduced taxation, &c.

The *Herald* reviews the political situation in a lengthy editorial this morning, and says on broad principle that the election of Grant is a foregone conclusion. It matters little what course the Democrats may pursue in regard to the Presidential campaign. So far as present prospects are concerned it thinks the nomination or endorsement of Horace Greeley at Baltimore promises the only hope of a future to Democracy.

The Liverpool steamship Tripoli, which recently went ashore on South Rock, off Tuscari, on the Irish coast, parted yesterday afternoon; A portion of the steamer sunk in deep water.

FROM NEW JERSEY.

NEWARK, June 11.—The eight hour agitation extends to this city. The coach builders, brick layers, masons, carpenters, clothing cutters, and other trades, are organizing for a strike in favor of eight hours.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Wheat, quiet, cash 1.56; July 1.56½; August 1.46½. Corn, cash 43; July 46½ bid, August 48½.
Pork, steddy, July 12.40.
Lard, nothing doing.
Oats, 41. Nothing doing.
Rye, quiet, at 74.
Barley, 55.
Highwines, firm, at 86.
Hogs, receipts, 11,120; market fair, active, Extreme range at 3,75@4,10.
Cattle, quiet, 5.00@6.50.
Sheep, 7.00@8.25.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Flour, inactive, weak for low and medium grades, 6,75@7,20.
Wheat, strong, No. 2 Chicago 1.73 afloat.
Corn, easier, more plenty, 68@69.
Oats, strong, 53 bid afloat.
Rye, nominal at 94.
Whiskey, inactive 90.
Pork, jobbing $13.40.
Lard, quiet at 9¼@9¾.
Gold, 111c.

[Communicated.]

CLOSING EXHIBITION OF THE FIRST WARD SCHOOL.

At two o'clock Friday afternoon the children of the first ward school were neatly attired, ready to participate in the closing exercises. A large number of visitors were present, who were interested in the school. All of the schools met in Mr. Bigelow's room, each teacher taking charge of scholars under their supervision.

The following teachers have been employed in this ward during the past term: 5th, 6th and 7th grade, Mr. David Bigelow 4th grade, Mrs. Alice Slocum; 3d grade, Miss Alice Pelzer; 1st and 2d grade, Miss Mary Bell,

The tables were beautified with elegant bouquets, and on the wall was suspended a cross made of flowers, and in handsome letters the cheering word, "Welcome."

The opening exercises was a song, entitled "The Temperance Ship," by a class of boys and girls from Mr. Bigelow's room, with Annie Haskell at the organ, after which Julia McAvoy played a March, entitled, "St. Patrick's Day." A class from Mrs. Slocum's room sang "Welcome Day," with their teacher as chorister and organist.

We have not space to enumerate the various subjects and parts, all of which were excellent. "Old and New," a dialogue in which the present fashions are contrasted with those of the days of yore, was amusing and interesting, as much of real life was exhibited. The scholars gave exercise songs, in which they illustrated the sentiment of the song with signs, conducted by their teacher. Also, a drill in physical exercise was healthy and amusing.

Prof. McKim, County Superintendent, was present and gladly noted the prosperity of the schools and success of the teachers.

Mr. Bigelow has been employed in the schools in this city for the past ten years, and he is still vigorous and instructive.

Mrs. Slocum is also well known, and no better or more worthy testimonial is necessary than the general and marked improvement of her scholars and the good will and regard of the parents.

Miss Betzer is alive to the interests of the schools; always earnest, energetic and kind, failure is unknown to this excellent teacher.

Miss Bell has taken charge of the school more recently than the others, but has given entire satisfaction.

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SHOP over L. M. Gill & Co's grocery store New Square, Decatur, Ill. [feb9,'70.

DRY GOODS.

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We mean BUSINESS, and are selling off our retail stock at REMARKABLY LOW FIGURES. We do not advertise to sell at "COST" or "THIRTY DAYS," or "NEW YORK QUOTATIONS,"—too old. Our motto is to SELL OUT CLEAN, and recover health lost by over-work in business; and that is what we are doing. The cash book at night tells the story plain enough; our customers see it and talk it, and COME AGAIN.

Our goods were bought at last year's BOTTOM PRICES, and for CASH. No TWO or FOUR months' BILLS to pay.

MERCHANTS will continue to find bargains in our WHOLESALE ROOMS, which we expect to continue.

13 EAST MAIN STREET,
Shellabarger's old Stand, DECATUR, ILL.

S. D. LUDDEN & CO.

N.B.—Our store will be TO RENT as soon as we dispose of our RETAIL STOCK. A good chance for a live Dry Goods man.

May 6, 1872—d-tf.

BOOKS
—AND—
STATIONERY,
—AT—
No. 9 E. Main St.
(CRISSEY'S OLD STAND).

HISTORICAL,
BIOGRAPHICAL,
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BOOKS!
Blank Books of All Kinds,
MAGAZINES,
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And all the LATEST
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Stationery, Cutlery and Notions of all kinds, Chromos, Engravings, Etc.
Late Publications Furnished to Order.

THIS OLD AND WELL KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT has recently been refitted, and stocked with new and fresh goods, and the undersigned respectfully invites the old patrons of the house, and the public generally, to give him a call.

No Trouble to Show Goods.
A. RUTH.
April 10-d&wtf.

D. A. MAFFIT. W. W. FOSTER.
Maffit & Foster,
—DEALERS IN—
PURE MILK AND ICE.

CUSTOMERS SUPPLIED in any part of the city. Our dairy comprises FORTY HEAD of of good milch cows.
RICH CREAM!
Furnished on Short Notice.
ORDERS left at Newell & Hammer's store, or in P. O. Box 501, will receive prompt attention. apr13-d-3m.

WANTED—A situation for a boy 11 years old on a farm. Inquire at this office. [jl0-d-1t.

WANTED—Board for lady and child. Private house preferred. Address this office, or box 725, Cairo, Ill. jl2-d3t.

MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 31.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [jn3-d-1t.

WANTED—A girl to do the house-work of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [je3-d1f

I HAVE THREE HOUSES FOR RENT. J. E. RINNEY.
[jl-3t]

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Musical Instruments
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FOR SALE BY
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HALLET, DAVIS & CO PIANOS,
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IF YOU WANT ANYTHING IN THE
MUSIC LINE,
CALL ON
G. F. HARGIS,
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17
EAST MAIN STREET.
April 1-d&wly.

Administrator's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Christian county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, S. B. Chapman, Administrator of the estate of John Cochran, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the February Term, A. D., 1869, of said Court, to wit, on the 15th day of February, 1869; I will, on Saturday, the 15th day of June next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, in front of the post office in Blue Mound, in Macon county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: the south half of lot No. 1, section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, containing five 28-100 acres, on the following terms, to-wit; on a credit of six months, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the said purchase money. N. H. CHAPMAN,
Administrator estate of John Cochran dec'd.
Decatur, Ill., May 9, 1872—w-6w.

BABY CARRIAGES AND PERAMBULATORS, CHILDREN'S CARTS, GIGS, &C., ALL CHEAP AT
J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

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DRY GOODS.

WE ARE A LITTLE THIN, YET OUR HEALTH IS GOOD;

Perfectly able to keep New Goods coming in every day, which we are doing. Have just received all the new things in Parasols—beauties; also, Sunshades in Cotton, Gingham and four grades of Silk. Also, an elegant line of Grass Cloth, Buff Linens, Seersuckers, Plain and Striped Grenadines, Yosemites, Maraposis and Piques, all of which are very beautiful and desirable.

We do not propose to "SELL OUT CLEAN,"—might make us unhealthy—but propose to show you NEW, FRESH GOODS EVERY DAY AND WEEK, and WAY UNDER "Bottom Prices."

Have just received another invoice of elegant Kid Gloves, at $1,00.

Our Cash Book does not Tell Stories!

HAYS & BRUCE.

May 21, 1872-d1y

ELEGANT NEW
SILVERWARE!
W. R. ABBOTT,
is now opening his
SPRING STOCK
—OF—
Watches, Clocks,
AND JEWELRY.
HE HAS SOME UNIQUE STYLE IN
Silver and Plated Ware
of Elegant Designs, suitable for Bridal Presents
HIS STOCK OF
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AND CHAINS,
Including the Popular
OPERA & MATINEE CHAINS
IS VERY CHOICE.
American Watches
Of all Grades, in stock and sold
At Factory Prices!
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OF ALL PATTERNS.
Call and Examine,
And see for yourselves.
No. 9 E. Main-st.
April 1 1872 d-tf

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—OF—
WM. LINTNER & CO.,
NO. 8
SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE.
A FULL LINE
—OF—
Parlor Furniture,
Consisting of Complete Suits in
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THE FINEST
—EVER—
Brought to Decatur!
Chamber Suits!
In Walnut and Ash
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Of all Patterns and Prices
A FULL LINE
—OF—
CARTER'S
DOUBLE LOUNGES
The most Convenient article of Furniture in the market
CHAIRS
Of every variety.
Kitchen Furniture!
Of all kinds.
EXTENSION TABLES
Of the Very Best Manufacture.
Upholstered Work
Of all Grades.
Children's Cabs
Of all styles and prices
IN SHORT,
THE MOST COMPLETE
Stock of Furniture
Ever seen in Central Illinois
Decatur April 8, 1872—d-tf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court, July term A D 1872
Lewis F Houck vs Paschal K Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B Fiske, and Augustus Knight
IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county on the
22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,
When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken [illegible] against all defendants not answering and as to such defendants said cause will be heard ex parte
EDMISION McCLELLAN, Clerk
Nelson & Roby Sols for Compl't
Decatur May 20, 1872- d-td.

Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by
W. E. WILSON.
May 21 d&w tf

Notice to Tax-Payers!

THE SUPERVISOR, TOWN CLERK, and Assessor of the Town of Decatur, will meet at the Town Clerk's office, in said town, on
SATURDAY JUNE 15, 1872,
To inspect and correct the assessment lists of said Town for 1872 and hear the complaints of those who may consider themselves aggrieved by said assessments
F L SMITH, Town Assessor,
Decatur, June 6, 1872 dtd

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, June 11.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISION McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GIVLER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

. Corn has gone up again.

.Lovely weather still continues.

..The advance courier of Barnum's great show is in town. He informs us that the monster exhibition will be here some time in August.

. The circus drew a large crowd last night, and the performance was equal to the best.

. .Jim Shoaff goes to Peoria to-day at 2 30, to attend the Democratic-Liberal-Editorial Convention.

...The races to morrow promise to be quite interesting. Pool selling will commence at Dan Brenneman's this evening.

. Merchants complain that business is dull, notwithstanding that there was a circus in town yesterday.

.. The official call for the Republican County Convention, will appear in to-morrow's paper

...We are under obligations to Hon. Jesse H. Moore, for recent favors in the way of public documents

.In to morrow's paper we shall publish the names of the pupils who have been transferred from one year to another, in the High school

. .Mr. J. Stutsman has pulled down the little old building on the east side of South Main street, adjoining his hide store, and intends to put up two brick buildings in their place.

...They reduce suicide to a science in Nevada. When a man wants to do it up thorough he takes arsenic, shoots himself through the body, cuts his throat, and then jumps out of a fourth story window. A jury is generally called in such cases.

. The council resolved last night to make an estimate of the cost of sewers on East Main street, from the old square to Priest's mill, and on Water street. They recognize the fact that sewerage will have to come some time or other, and that it is well to know the cost, so that provision can be made for it as early as practicable.

The Races.—To-morrow is the opening day of the June meeting of the Macon county Jockey Club. The programme for the day will be 1st, a trotting race—mile heats—for purse of $60, 2d, a running race, ½ mile and repeat, for purse of $40. The committee have placed the track in excellent condition, and have fitted up the ampitheatre for the accommodation of those who come to see the races. A number of fine horses from abroad will be present during the week.

Pool selling will be held at Dan. W. Brenneman's saloon, at 7 o'clock this evening

Sabbath School Pic-Nic.—The excursion of the Universalist Sabbath School to Mt Pulaski will take place to-morrow The train will leave the crossing on North Water street at 7½ o'clock, a m., promptly. Persons desiring to join the excursion, who have not purchased tickets, can procure them on the train, at $1,25 for the round trip Two other Sabbath Schools are to join the school at Mt. Pulaski. Speeches will be made, and there will be singing and a good time generally

Rev R. A. Walsh is collecting funds to put the St Theresa Academy in repairs. This building will be occupied by September, by the Ursuline Sisters, of New York, as a school for the education of young ladies in the different branches of education, including music, fancy work and embroidery. It is to be hoped that he may receive such pecuniary aid as will enable this praiseworthy work to be accomplished [Jun5t5

Greeley Club.—The "Liberals" held a meeting at Judge Greer's office last night, and organized a Greeley club, with the following officers

President—A. W Hardy.
Vice President—H Shlaudeman.
Secretary—R. A Sedgwick.
Treasurer—C L Griswold
Executive Committee—W. A. Barnes, H. B. Lewis, Jos Mills.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, June 10, 1872.
ADJOURNED MEETING.

Mayor Shellabarger in the chair. Board all present except Ald. Mills and Gabler.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The City Attorney reported having drawn up a contract between J. F. Montgomery and the City, in relation to laying a tile ditch, and that Mr. Montgomery refused to sign the same, because he would not comply with the conditions therein named.

On motion of Ald. McNabb the petitioner was allowed to put in 5-inch tile, and the contract to be amended in accordance therewith, was adopted. On motion Mr. M. was also allowed to carry his tile only so far as to give him sufficient fall to carry off water.

Petition of J. S. Ward and others, for sidewalk on Clayton street, read and referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings, with power to act.

Petition of M. A. Meyer and others, for sidewalk on Jackson street, between East Main and Prairie streets, read and referred to same committee.

Communication from W. W. Ritchie, stating that the stone upon which the map was lithographed was broken, and that he could not furnish the fifty maps, but that the city could have three mounted ones, left with the City Register, for $15, was read, and on motion a warrant was ordered drawn in favor of Mr. Ritchie for $15, and previous order for $100 be rescinded.

An ordinance was offered in relation to retailing native wines and beer, which was read and referred to the ordinance committee.

An ordinance in relation to hotel runners and porters being required to take out a license, was read and referred to the ordinance committee.

The following claims were allowed:

B L Anderson & Co, lumber	$ 79,14
Wm. Towling, assessors book	18,00
J G Hoffacker, jail fees	70,40
West. Coal & Mining Co., coal	158,00
Ill. Cent. R R., freight on coal, &c.	144,60
J J Dudrow, engineer	,75
Enterprise Coal Co., for coal	42,00

Petition of citizens of 1st Ward asking that an alley between Broadway and Morgan streets, north of railroad, may be cleaned and drained; read and referred to committee on streets and alleys, with power to act.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the city engineer be instructed to make an estimate of the cost of building three feet sewers on East Main and Water streets. Adopted.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution that the committee on public improvements cause the stagnant pools on Cerro Gordo, between Broadway and Jackson streets, to be drained. Adopted

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the gas committee make a new contract with the gas company at a certain price per thousand feet. Adopted.

Ald Myers offered a resolution that the City Supervisor construct a six feet sidewalk on the west side of Broadway, between Cerro Gordo street and the railroad. Referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings, with power to act.

Ald. Hill offered a resolution that the supervisory board of water works report through their secretary, in relation to amount received on water rates. Adopted.

Ald. McNabb offered a resolution that the City Supervisor repair sidewalk on North street. Referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. McNabb offered a resolution that warrants be drawn in favor of Messrs. Handy and Henry, engineers at water works, for $50 and $75, to apply on their salaries. Adopted.

Ald. Myers offered a resolution that the City Register and Attorney examine the books of Police Magistrate Goodman, make an abstract of the police business transacted, settle with said Magistrate and report the same to the Council, and that they be paid for their services while so employed. Adopted.

The Mayor then stated that he had temporarily appointed Mr. Vermillion as pound master.

On motion of Ald. Hardy the said appointment was confirmed by the Council by acclamation.

On motion it was resolved that an Assistant Fire Warden be appointed.

Joseph Hughes was elected by acclamation to that position.

Motion made and carried that Mr. Hughes be notified of his appointment and he be requested to use all means to organize the Fire Department at the earliest moment

H P. Christie was elected 2d Assistant Fire Warden

The Mayor stated that he had appointed Mr. Humphrey as watchman, temporarily, at the pound, in view of anticipated trouble from persons who threatened to tear down the same

On motion the pound master was vested with police powers to make arrests for violation of the stock ordinance, and that the Mayor issue a commission accordingly

Pending the above motion, a discussion arose upon the repeal of the stock ordinance, participated in by Ald Richards and Bramble for its repeal, and Ald Hill, McNabb and Hardy against

On motion, the pound master was required to give bond in the sum of $500.

On motion, the City Supervisor was instructed to open ditches to drain pond north of the round house.

On motion, the committee on salaries was instructed to examine into and report upon the salary to be paid to the City Engineer and Surveyor.

On motion the Council adjourned until next Monday evening

..Pool-selling for the races, at Brenneman's, commencing this evening

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, June 6, 1872. }

Present, Hammer, Greer, Durfee and Clerk.

Proceeded to canvass the votes cast at an election held on the 4th day of June, for a member of the Board, to serve for the term of three years, from which it appeared that 136 votes were cast, of which number James G. Roach received 135, and was declared duly elected. The oath of office was then administered by Hon. S. F. Greer, and Mr. Roach took his seat in the Board.

On motion the following persons were elected teachers in the public schools for the coming year:

David Bigelow, Mrs. Slocumb, Miss Betzer, Miss Carson, Miss Kerr, Mrs. Foulke, Miss Durfee, Miss Roe, Miss Parker, Miss Burnham, Miss Haskell, Miss Sollars, Miss Cook, Miss Johns, Miss Wilder, Miss Magee, Miss Beswick, Miss Stickel, Miss Leeper, Miss French, Miss Sargent, Miss Cotton, Miss Jamison and E A. Gastman.

On motion, the average scholarship required for admission to the high school was fixed at 65. The following persons are admitted under that rule:

Mary Clark, Alice Sackett, Katie Phalin, Nellie Durfee, Oscar Martin, Frank Tuttle, Franklin Thomas, Oliver McKenzie, Eddie Poland, Annie Haskell, Katie Foster, Anna Dillehunt, Theron Powers, Anna Hall, Josie Shea, Ethel Tisdale, Alice Babbitt, Clara Milburn, Belle Ewing, Lucy Clark, Ella Warden, Mary Wise, Katie Fitzpatrick, Lucy Irwin, Laura Lindsay, Fannie Thrall, Sophia Harpstrite, Nannie Leech, Donna Ulery, Belle Fulton, Maria Corson, Willie Leiby, Clay Dempsey, Gilbert Ferry, Darius Aungst, Seymour Brown, Alice Culp, Frank Barrell, Willis Ward, Charles Waughop, Davip Phillips, Clara Kirk, Iris Berry, Betta Hoshor, Fannie Shellabarger, Ben. Dodson, Stella Mills, Mary Kauffman, Louisa Martin, Chas. Dwight, Bettie Wingate, Emily Clark, Alice Miller, Willie Muzzy, John Morarity, George Montgomery, Della McCune, Leora Emerson.

Ordered, that another examination be held in September next, just before the opening of the schools, at which all who have failed at the present time may have a second trial if they desire.

Adjourned.

WM. L. HAMMER, Pres't
E. A. GASTMAN.

Money to Loan, in sums of $50 and upwards, for 30, 60 and 90 days, on first-class personal or collateral security. Also large amounts on long time and easy terms. Apply at once to W. F. Ballard Office in Council Building, Decatur. [Jun11 2t

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, June 11, 1872.

The market is very quiet to-day
Grain, excepting Corn, unchanged, and sales very light. Corn 5c higher

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1 90
White	1,95
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	6 00
red	5,50
superfine	1 00
middlings	3 00
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	70
RYE—₩ bushel	,60
CORN—₩ bushel	35
shelled, per bush	,40
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton	16 00
OATS—₩ bushel	,30@,31
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	4 00
CLOVER SEED—	6 00@7 00
BEANS—₩ bushel	
BUTTER—₩ lb	,12½
EGGS—per doz	10
LARD—₩ lb	08
BACON—Sides	06
HAMS—sugar-cured	,11
SHOULDERS—per lb	06
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3,00@3,25
CATTLE—	3,50@5,00
SHEEP— per hun., unsheared	
sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu.	
Peach Blow	1,00
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	,12½
APPLES—	,12½
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	20
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	25@30
coarse & long	35@40
combing	30@43
Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	35@45
coarse & long	45@52
combing	52@53
Tubwashed	61@62
and picked	62@63
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	6½@ 07
Salted cured	8½@ 09
Calf	,12½@12
Dry salt	,12½
Dry Flint	16
SHEEP PELTS—Green [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off]	2.00@2.25
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	,50@,60
Common, ₩ lb	,25@,40
BEESWAX ₩ lb	,25
TALLOW—	,07@,07½
RAGS—Mixed	1½@2
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ₩ lb	1 00
Half Bright	,68
Choice black	60

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$90,000 Worth of Dry Goods!

On hand; the largest Retail Stock ever Offered to the people of Central Illinois, Embracing the most varied assortment And the most choice styles Of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics. We do not offer goods cheap For 30 days only, But as long as we continue in business. We can afford to sell Woolen Goods At last year's prices; Dress Goods below last year's prices; Bleached and Brown Cottons AT NEW YORK QUOTATIONS; Table Linen, Napkins, Towelings, Quilts, Hosiery, Gloves, Shawls, and Every other description of Goods at MARVELOUSLY LOW PRICES
AT
The Only One Price Store in Decatur
OF
LINN & SCRUGGS
April 5-dtf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D, 1872

Elias Kost, Joseph S Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, Charles D. Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William H Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M Long, Peter Black and Robert B Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,
vs.
Jacob R Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C B Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W C Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Lm. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton, James B. Alexander, Administrator of T K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

Creditors' Bill.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R Fearn, Ada L Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C Hazen, L B Hazen, W. H Hazen, J W. C Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W Sharpe, William B Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown: notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby Hannah Freese, H C. Hazen, L B. Hazen, W. H Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A D. 1872, as by law required

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
EDEN & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E PARK, T. LEE, J M IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-9d

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment DAVID P. KELLER,
ay2-mw6w*] Administrator.

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Cultivator Hoes, for Gardens AT LIDDLE'S.
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Flower Pots and Garden Sprinklers AT LIDDLE'S.
Croquet Sets Variety— AT LIDDLE'S
Bird Cages—American and French— AT LIDDLE'S.
Wire Dish Covers AT LIDDLE'S.
Refrigerators and Ice Chests AT LIDDLE'S.
Water Coolers, with Faucet, AT LIDDLE'S.
Ice Cream Freezers & Dishes AT LIDDLE'S.
Pocket Knives, Table Knives, AT LIDDLE'S.
Glass top Fruit Jars AT LIDDLE'S.
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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term A. D. 1872

Lewis F. Houck vs Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon and that summons has been issued in said cause, returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken pro confesso against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said case will be heard ex-parte.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sols for Complt.
Decatur, May 20, 1872-d-tf.

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THE SUPERVISOR, TOWN CLERK, and Assessor of the Town of Decatur, will meet at the Town Clerk's office, in said town, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1872,

to inspect and correct the assessment lists of said Town for 1872 and hear the complaints of those who may consider themselves aggrieved by said assessments.

F. L. SMITH, Town Assessor,
Decatur, June 6, 1872 dtd

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, June 11.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON McCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GIVLER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

. Corn has gone up again.

.Lovely weather still continues.

..The advance courier of Barnum's great show is in town. He informs us that the monster exhibition will be here some time in August.

. The circus drew a large crowd last night, and the performance was equal to the best.

. .Jim Shoaff goes to Peoria to-day at 2 30, to attend the Democratic-Liberal-Editorial Convention.

...The races to morrow promise to be quite interesting. Pool selling will commence at Dan Brenneman's this evening.

. Merchants complain that business is dull, notwithstanding that there was a circus in town yesterday.

.. The official call for the Republican County Convention, will appear in to-morrow's paper

...We are under obligations to Hon. Jesse H. Moore, for recent favors in the way of public documents

.In to morrow's paper we shall publish the names of the pupils who have been transferred from one year to another, in the High school

. .Mr. J. Stutsman has pulled down the little old building on the east side of South Main street, adjoining his hide store, and intends to put up two brick buildings in their place.

...They reduce suicide to a science in Nevada. When a man wants to do it up thorough he takes arsenic, shoots himself through the body, cuts his throat, and then jumps out of a fourth story window. A jury is generally called in such cases.

. The council resolved last night to make an estimate of the cost of sewers on East Main street, from the old square to Priest's mill, and on Water street. They recognize the fact that sewerage will have to come some time or other, and that it is well to know the cost, so that provision can be made for it as early as practicable.

The Races.—To-morrow is the opening day of the June meeting of the Macon county Jockey Club. The programme for the day will be 1st, a trotting race—mile heats—for purse of $60, 2d, a running race, ½ mile and repeat, for purse of $40. The committee have placed the track in excellent condition, and have fitted up the ampitheatre for the accommodation of those who come to see the races. A number of fine horses from abroad will be present during the week.

Pool selling will be held at Dan. W. Brenneman's saloon, at 7 o'clock this evening

Sabbath School Pic-Nic.—The excursion of the Universalist Sabbath School to Mt Pulaski will take place to-morrow The train will leave the crossing on North Water street at 7½ o'clock, a. m., promptly. Persons desiring to join the excursion, who have not purchased tickets, can procure them on the train, at $1,25 for the round trip Two other Sabbath Schools are to join the school at Mt. Pulaski. Speeches will be made, and there will be singing and a good time generally

Rev R. A. Walsh is collecting funds to put the St Theresa Academy in repairs. This building will be occupied by September, by the Ursuline Sisters, of New York, as a school for the education of young ladies in the different branches of education, including music, fancy work and embroidery. It is to be hoped that he may receive such pecuniary aid as will enable this praiseworthy work to be accomplished [Jun5t5

Greeley Club.—The "Liberals" held a meeting at Judge Greer's office last night, and organized a Greeley club, with the following officers

President—A. W Hardy.
Vice President—H Shlaudeman.
Secretary—R. A Sedgwick.
Treasurer —C L Griswold
Executive Committee—W. A. Barnes, H. B. Lewis, Jos Mills.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, June 10, 1872.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

Mayor Shellabarger in the chair. Board all present except Ald. Mills and Gabler.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The City Attorney reported having drawn up a contract between J. F. Montgomery and the City, in relation to laying a tile ditch, and that Mr. Montgomery refused to sign the same, because he would not comply with the conditions therein named.

On motion of Ald. McNabb the petitioner was allowed to put in 5-inch tile, and the contract to be amended in accordance therewith, was adopted. On motion Mr. M. was also allowed to carry his tile only so far as to give him sufficient fall to carry off water.

Petition of J. S. Ward and others, for sidewalk on Clayton street, read and referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings, with power to act.

Petition of M. A. Meyer and others, for sidewalk on Jackson street, between East Main and Prairie streets, read and referred to same committee.

Communication from W. W. Ritchie, stating that the stone upon which the map was lithographed was broken, and that he could not furnish the fifty maps, but that the city could have three mounted ones, left with the City Register, for $15, was read, and on motion a warrant was ordered drawn in favor of Mr. Ritchie for $15, and previous order for $100 be rescinded.

An ordinance was offered in relation to retailing native wines and beer, which was read and referred to the ordinance committee.

An ordinance in relation to hotel runners and porters being required to take out a license, was read and referred to the ordinance committee.

The following claims were allowed:

B L Anderson & Co, lumber,......	$ 79,14
Wm. Towling, assessors book.	18,00
J G Hoffacker, jail fees,..........	70,40
West. Coal & Mining Co., coal,..	158,00
Ill. Cent. R R., freight on coal, &c.	144,60
J J Dudrow, engineer,..............	,75
Enterprise Coal Co., for coal.......	42,00

Petition of citizens of 1st Ward asking that an alley between Broadway and Morgan streets, north of railroad, may be cleaned and drained; read and referred to committee on streets and alleys, with power to act.

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the city engineer be instructed to make an estimate of the cost of building three feet sewers on East Main and Water streets. Adopted.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution that the committee on public improvements cause the stagnant pools on Cerro Gordo, between Broadway and Jackson streets, to be drained. Adopted

Ald. Richards offered a resolution that the gas committee make a new contract with the gas company at a certain price per thousand feet. Adopted.

Ald Myers offered a resolution that the City Supervisor construct a six feet sidewalk on the west side of Broadway, between Cerro Gordo street and the railroad. Referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings, with power to act.

Ald. Hill offered a resolution that the supervisory board of water works report through their secretary, in relation to amount received on water rates. Adopted.

Ald. McNabb offered a resolution that the City Supervisor repair sidewalk on North street. Referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. McNabb offered a resolution that warrants be drawn in favor of Messrs. Handy and Henry, engineers at water works, for $50 and $75, to apply on their salaries. Adopted.

Ald. Myers offered a resolution that the City Register and Attorney examine the books of Police Magistrate Goodman, make an abstract of the police business transacted, settle with said Magistrate and report the same to the Council, and that they be paid for their services while so employed. Adopted.

The Mayor then stated that he had temporarily appointed Mr. Vermillion as pound master.

On motion of Ald. Hardy the said appointment was confirmed by the Council by acclamation.

On motion it was resolved that an Assistant Fire Warden be appointed.

Joseph Hughes was elected by acclamation to that position.

Motion made and carried that Mr. Hughes be notified of his appointment and he be requested to use all means to organize the Fire Department at the earliest moment

H P. Christie was elected 2d Assistant Fire Warden

The Mayor stated that he had appointed Mr. Humphrey as watchman, temporarily, at the pound, in view of anticipated trouble from persons who threatened to tear down the same

On motion the pound master was vested with police powers to make arrests for violation of the stock ordinance, and that the Mayor issue a commission accordingly

Pending the above motion, a discussion arose upon the repeal of the stock ordinance, participated in by Ald Richards and Bramble for its repeal, and Ald Hill, McNabb and Hardy against

On motion, the pound master was required to give bond in the sum of $500.

On motion, the City Supervisor was instructed to open ditches to drain pond north of the round house.

On motion, the committee on salaries was instructed to examine into and report upon the salary to be paid to the City Engineer and Surveyor.

On motion the Council adjourned until next Monday evening

..Pool-selling for the races, at Brenneman's, commencing this evening

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
DECATUR, June 6, 1872. }

Present, Hammer, Greer, Durfee and Clerk.

Proceeded to canvass the votes cast at an election held on the 4th day of June, for a member of the Board, to serve for the term of three years, from which it appeared that 136 votes were cast, of which number James G. Roach received 135, and was declared duly elected. The oath of office was then administered by Hon. S. F. Greer, and Mr. Roach took his seat in the Board.

On motion the following persons were elected teachers in the public schools for the coming year:

David Bigelow, Mrs. Slocumb, Miss Betzer, Miss Carson, Miss Kerr, Mrs. Foulke, Miss Durfee, Miss Roe, Miss Parker, Miss Burnham, Miss Haskell, Miss Sellars, Miss Cook, Miss Johns, Miss Wilder, Miss Magee, Miss Beswick, Miss Stickel, Miss Leeper, Miss French, Miss Sargent, Miss Cotton, Miss Jamison and E A. Gastman.

On motion, the average scholarship required for admission to the high school was fixed at 65. The following persons are admitted under that rule:

Mary Clark, Alice Sackett, Katie Phalin, Nellie Durfee, Oscar Martin, Frank Tuttle, Franklin Thomas, Oliver McKenzie, Eddie Poland, Annie Haskell, Katie Foster, Anna Dillehunt, Theron Powers, Anna Hall, Josie Shea, Ethel Tisdale, Alice Babbitt, Clara Milburn, Belle Ewing, Lucy Clark, Ella Warden, Mary Wise, Katie Fitzpatrick, Lucy Irwin, Laura Lindsay, Fannie Thrall, Sophia Harpstrite, Nannie Leech, Donna Ulery, Belle Fulton, Maria Corson, Willie Leiby, Clay Dempsey, Gilbert Ferry, Darius Aungst, Seymour Brown, Alice Culp, Frank Barrell, Willis Ward, Charles Waughop, Davip Phillips, Clara Kirk, Iris Berry, Betta Hosbor, Fannie Shellabarger, Ben. Dodson, Stella Mills, Mary Kauffman, Louisa Martin, Chas. Dwight, Bettie Wingate, Emily Clark, Alice Miller, Willie Muzzy, John Morarity, George Montgomery, Della McCune, Leora Emerson.

Ordered, that another examination be held in September next, just before the opening of the schools, at which all who have failed at the present time may have a second trial if they desire.

Adjourned.

WM. L. HAMMER, Pres't
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DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, June 11, 1872.

The market is very quiet to-day

Grain, excepting Corn, unchanged, and sales very light. Corn 5c higher

WHEAT—Red, per bushel .... $	1 50
" White	1 35
FLOUR—white wheat, ₱ hundred	6 00
red " "	5 50
superfine, "	4 00
middlings, "	3 00
CORN MEAL—₱ bushel	70
RYE—₱ bushel	,60
CORN—₱ bushel	45
" shelled, per bush	,50
HAY—Timothy, ₱ ton,	16 00
OATS—₱ bushel	,30@,31
TIMOTHY SEED—₱ bushel	4 00
CLOVER SEED—	6 00@7 00
BEANS—₱ bushel	
BUTTER—₱ lb	,12½
EGGS—per doz	10
LARD—₱ lb	08
BACON—Sides,	08
HAMS—sugar-cured,	,14
SHOULDERS—per lb	06
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,00@3,25
CATTLE—	3,50@5,00
SHEEP— " per hun, unsheared	
" sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu.,	
Peach Blow,	1,00
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	,12½
APPLES—	,12½
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	20
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	25@30
" coarse & long,	35@40
" combing	40@43
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	35@45
" coarse & long	45@52
" combing,	52@53
" Tubwashed	61@62
" and picked.	62@63
HIDES—Green, ₱ lb	06@ 07
" Salted cured,	8½@ 09
" Calf,	,12½@,13
" Dry salt	,12½
" Dry Flint	,16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
(Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off)	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₱ lb	,50@,60
" Common, ₱ lb	,25@,40
BEESWAX ₱ lb	,25
TALLOW— "	,07@,07½
RAGS—Mixed,	1½@20
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ₱ lb	1 00
" Half Bright, "	,65
" Choice black, "	60

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872

Elias Kost, Joseph B Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, Charles D. Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William H Howell and Thomas L Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M Long, Peter Black and Robert B Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,

vs.

Jacob R Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C B Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W C Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Lm. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton, James H. Alexander, Administrator of T K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

Creditors' Bill.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown: notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A D. 1872, as by law required

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODOR,
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E PARK, T. LEE, I M IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-3d

Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment DAVID P. KELLER,
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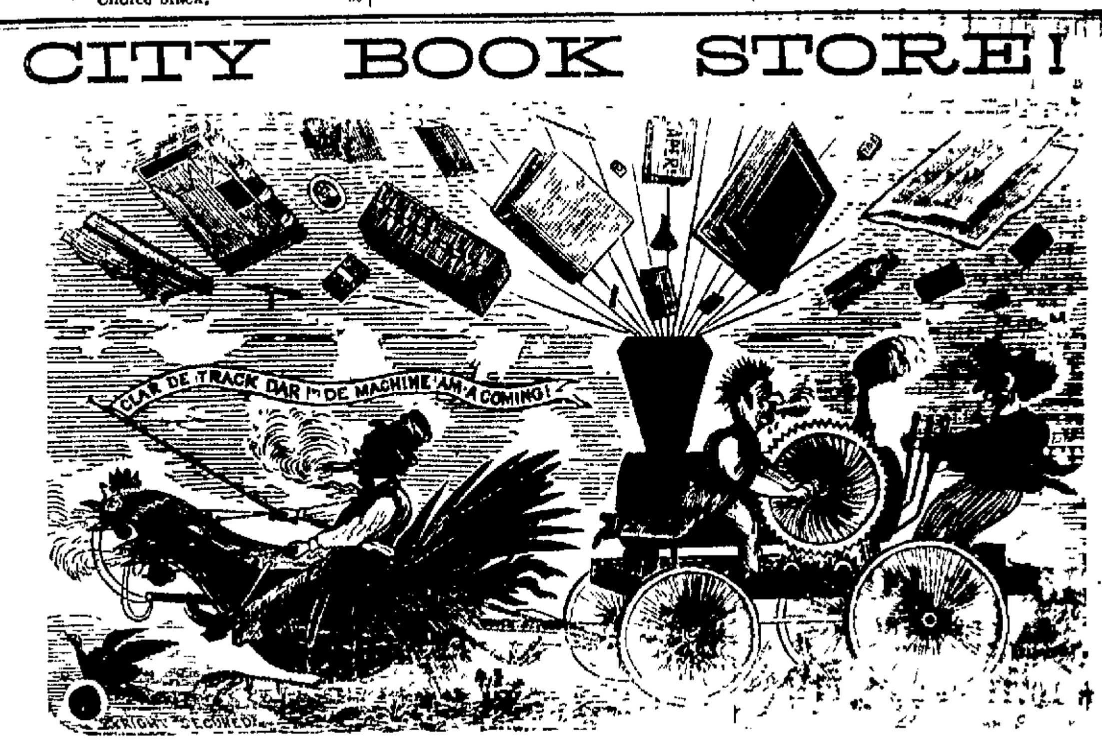
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MORE DENIALS.

The Rockford *Register* and the Mattoon *Commercial*, which the Chicago *Tribune* a few days ago claimed as being for Greeley and Brown, indignantly deny the charge. They are for the nominees of the Philadelphia convention.

A diffident youth was paying his addesses to a gay lass of the country who had long despaired of bringing things to a crisis. He called one day when she was alone. After settling the merits of the weather, the girl said, looking shyly into his face:

"I dreamed of you last night."

"Did you? Why now!"

"I dreamed that you kissed me."

"Why, now! What did you dream your mother said?"

"Oh, I dreamed she wasn't at home."

A light dawned on the youth's intellect, a singular sound broke the stillness, and in a few weeks they were married.

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Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment. PALLAS McCAY, Administrator.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Casner, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described property, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.
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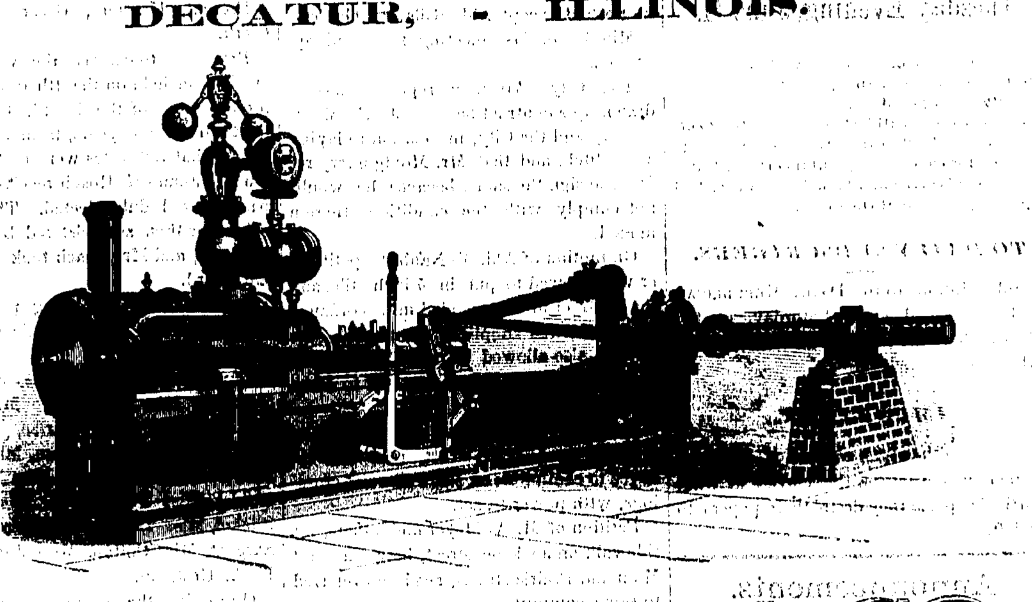
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will, on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.
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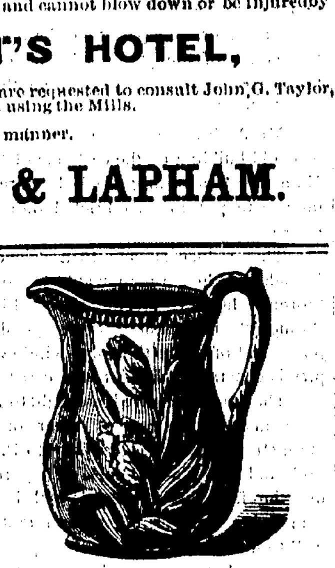
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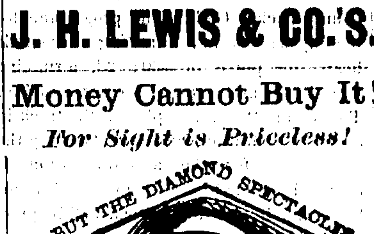
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A diffident youth was paying his addesses to a gay lass of the country who had long despaired of bringing things to a crisis. He called one day when she was alone. After settling the merits of the weather, the girl said, looking shyly into his face:

"I dreamed of you last night."

"Did you? Why now!"

"I dreamed that you kissed me."

"Why, now! What did you dream your mother said?"

"Oh, I dreamed she wasn't at home."

A light dawned on the youth's intellect, a singular sound broke the stillness, and in a few weeks they were married.

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"Golly!" exclaimed the astonished juror, "he don't charge us nuffin for dat does he? Why, I though we were gwine to git pay.

"Where are you going?" said Selwin to an acquaintance. "To see a friend." "Well, I'll go with you, for I never saw one yet."

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment. PALLAS McCAY, may9-w04] Administrator.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Lewis B. Casner, and against James Powell, I have levied upon the undivided interest of James Powell in the following described property, to-wit: The west half (½) of lot four (4), in the northwest quarter of section four (4), in township fifteen (15), north range four (4), east of the third principal meridian in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said James Powell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1872, between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and five o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 27th day of May, A. D., 1872.
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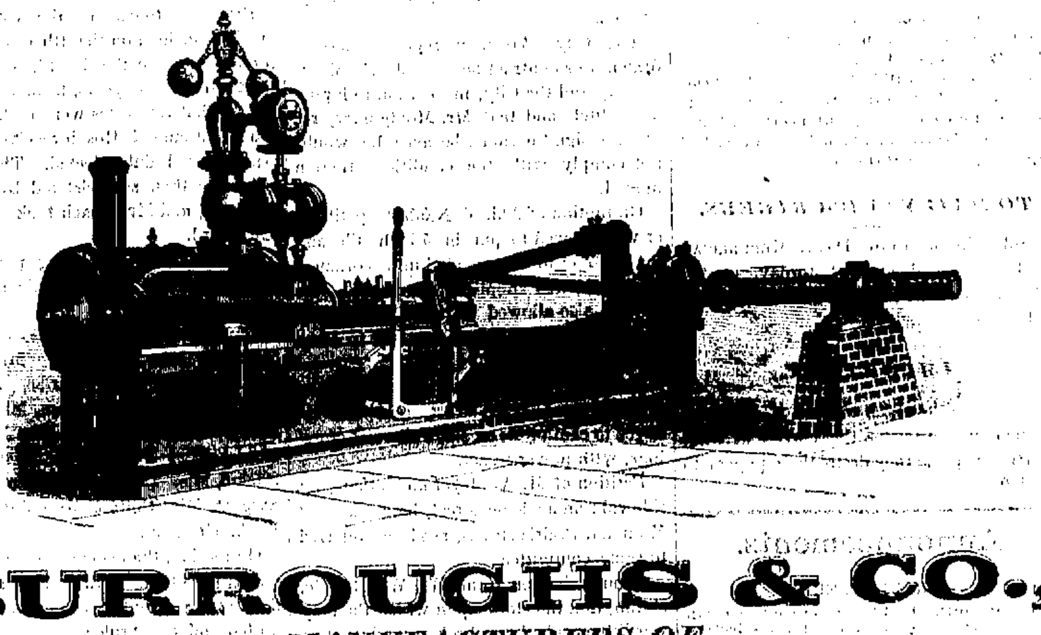
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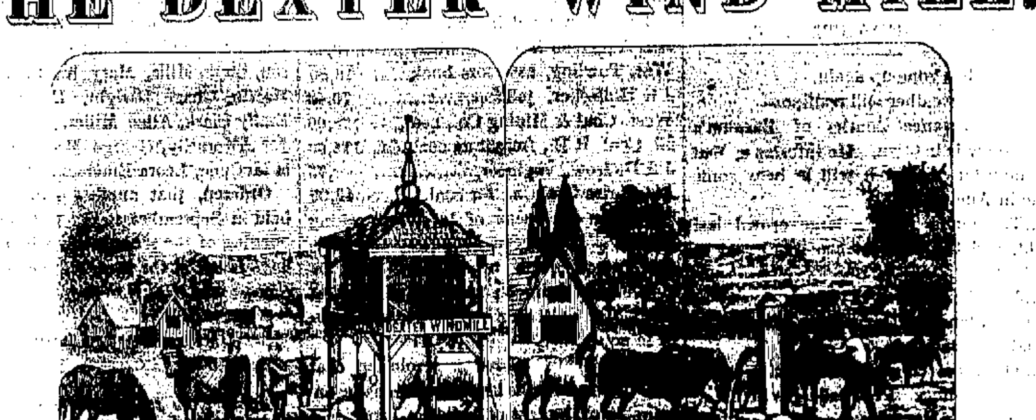
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